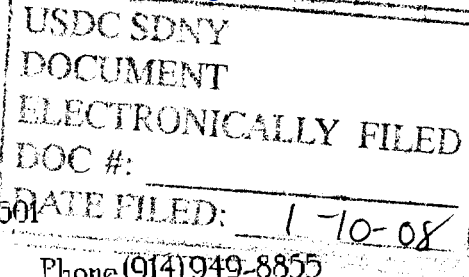




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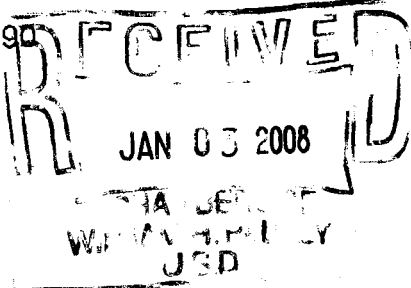
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January 3, 2008



Hon. William H Pauley
United States District Judge
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl St., Room 2210
New York, NY 10007

RE: U.S. v. RAUL BORBON & JOHANS SANTANA
Indictment 07-896

Dear Judge Pauley,

I write to request a 30 day adjournment of the scheduled court appearance, in the above captioned matter, scheduled for Friday January 4, 2008.

Mr. Borbon retained this office on January 2, 2008 at 6:30 p.m. and Mr. Lenihan, a sole practitioner, is currently on vacation in Italy and will not return until January 15, 2008.

I have spoken with AUSA Benjamin Naftalis and Dawn Cardi, attorney for defendant Johans Santana, and both consent to a 30 day adjournment

If the Court requires an appearance, I will appear as Mr. Lenihan's legal assistant, as I am not an attorney.

Respectfully yours,

James Monteleon, J.D.
Lenihan & Associates
Law Clerk

cc: AUSA Benjamin Naftalis
Dawn M. Cardi, Esq (attorney Johans Santana)

Application Granted. Conference
Adjourned to 2-1-08 at
SO ORDERED: 2:00 p.m.

WILLIAM H. PAULEY III U.S.D.J.

1-3-08